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Re: MUR 7136

Dear Mr. Jordan:

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We write as counsel to Strickland for Senate, and Michael J. Johrendt in his official capacity as Treasurer ("Respondents"), in the above-referenced matter. A designation of counsel form for Strickland for Senate is attached to this letter; we are waiting for the Treasurer's signature and will file an updated form with both signatures when we receive it. The complaint was received on Wednesday, September 28, 2016. Respondents respectfully request that the time for response be extended until Friday, November 11, 2016. Respondents require more time to review the complaint and develop the information necessary for response. We appreciate the Commission's consideration of this request.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

Marc E. Elias Jonathan Berkon Courtney Weisman

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